TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS.

192; balances, \$1.177.033, Local discount rates were between 5 and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 200 premium bid, 50c premium asked; Chicago, par bid, 16c premiun asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Or-

leans, 10c discount bid, par asked.

Wheat closed higher at 81%c May; 59% Sie No. 2 red. Corn closed higher at 41%c asked May; 43c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 38c asked May; 38c No. 2 mixed. Spot cotton was unchanged in the local

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. Safe robbers secure \$500 in cash from C

C. Lange. The St. Louis County Liquor Dealers' Protective Association, alarmed by the temperance wave, will meet Monday to

take steps to oppose the crustade. Arrangements under way assure ample bus service next year. Grand Jury will investigate reports of

Pure artesian water, feed will be sold penny-in-the-slot machines at the World's Fair, the water being piped from

Walter Keating Bannerman, was chosen by Artist Russell as one of the most interesting children in the United States. A branch of the Actors' Church Alliance of America is to be organized in St. Louis. Three miners have a narrow escape

from death in a coal mine near Belleville. James L. Blair and his wife went to Emma G. Easton secured a divorce from her husband after he had chastised their 2-year-old baby for reaching across the

table for food. In the East St. Louis City Court It was decided that the Suburban Electric Line holds a railway franchise and trains must stop at trolley crossings. The Suburban won the Roy damage suit.

John Mason, who says he is from Atscattered money among cabmen, bartend-ers and newsboys and paid \$100 for lodg-

GENERAL DOMESTIC.

Governor Richard Yates was yesterday presented with a gold-headed cane in honor of his forty-third birthday anniver-sary, with the names of the donors inscribed. The Governor returned to Jers yville from East St. Louis yesterday, made an address, and departed for Springfield. The reports of violence of the police and

the attack on Consul Davis have been confirmed by advices received by the United States Legation in regard to the Alexandretta affair. The Montana Legislature adjourns, hav-

ing passed the "fair trial" bill. Steel stocks are again decidedly weak, the common selling down to the low

The trade reviews agree that retail business is extremely active on account of the approach of the holidays. The iron trade outlook is more hopeful, but that of cottion is far from efgeouraging to manufac-

turers and consumers.

Counsel for the widow of Philo S. Bennett me an explanation of the appeal taken from the Probate Count's decision on the will, alleging undue influence on the part of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bryan in the making of the will.

John McCrea is hanged at Peoria for The St. Louis delegation amends its of-

fer to the Republican National Committee and the chances for procuring the convention are said to be brighter than before,

President Francis, Treasurer Thompson and others of the World's Fair Company

jury to-day after the arguments of the at-

Two speeches were made in the Senate on the Cuban reciprocity bill, McCreary of Kentucks t and Bard of

Mrs. Bridget Kane, tenant of Russell Sage, who claims the death of her husband was due to being tripped on a defective stair step, has brought suit against

Mr. Sage for \$50,000. Mis Helen M. Gould is on her way from Richmond, Va., to St. Louis to attend a meeting of the Board of Lady Manager

The unexpected death of Baron Arthude Rothschilo was due to albumenuria, complicated with heart disease. He leaves a fortune of \$15,000,000 to \$17,000 coo .

Attorneys for R. P. Stone, Presecuting Attorney of Cole County, who was sus pended from office and from practicing in Cole County on charges preferred by Grand Jurors pending trial on indictments against him for the alleged acceptance of filegal fees and railroad passes, served notices on six members of the Grand Jury who preferred the charges, to appear be for a notary on December 18 and give dep-

ositions in the disharment case. A couple are married at Pana, Ill., after a courtship of only three days.

Adolph Mueller of Nashville, Ill., lost

his race with death. He was out on the road when he learned his wife was dying. He hastened back on the first train, but she died two hours before he arrived. A brick-paving contractor at Kanze

City, Kas., testifies before the Grand Jury called to investigate the charges of boodling that a member of the City Council came to him and demanded \$1,000 before he would use his influence in the Council to approve a paving contract,

Twenty-one children survive James W Golightly, who dies at Taxlorville, Ill. W. K. Vanderbilt told two ministers who called on him for contributions that there were too many churches to fit the population. He advised them to reduc number of churches and cut down on the

preachers' salaries.

FOREIGN The provisional government tries to repudiate obligations entered into by former governments, but learns that it cannot obtain recognition until these obligations are recognized as still binding.

Herr Lewald is trying hard to reconcile the warring art factions of Germany in order to obtain a representative exhibit for St. Louis.

ton growers will be asked at the coming session of the British Parliament. A young man awalting execution at Calgary, Northwest Territory, locks his three guards in his cell and escapes.

SPORTING. Harry Forbes is expected to reach St.

Marine Intelligence. New York, Dec. 11;-Arrived: Chemnitz,

Queenstown, Dec. 11.-Sailed: Cymric, Liverpool, Dec. II.-Arrived: Cedric, New!

Naples. Dec. 11.-Arrived: Carpathia. New York; Nord Amerika, New York. Copenhagen, Dec. 11.-Arrived: Hekla, New York: Oscar II, New York.

York, Dec. 11.-The steamer Norge from Copenhagen, Christiania and Christiand for New York, is reported by wireless telegraph as having passed Nantucket Land and distance of the Control of

COUNCIL UNANIMOUS FOR TICKET BILL.

Ordinance Passed Soon After Public Hearing Closes Before Legislation Committee.

MEASURE GOES TO HOUSE.

Privilege Granted to Brewing Company to Build Railroad Tracks Across Ninth and Pestalozzi Streets.

After suspending the rules to send the ticket broker bill to engrossment, the Council, by a unanimous vote, hast night passed the ordinance which prohibits the ale of nontransferable railroad tickets. The bill received its first reading in the House last night.

Early yesterday afternoon the second sublic hearing was held on the bill before the Legislation Committee, A. Lindenberger of Detroit, Mich., accompanied by Benjamin Wasserman, represented the ticket men, while Judge Franklin Ferriss and John Schroers argued for the World's

Lindenberger argued that the ordinance if it became a law, would put the cutrate ticket broker out of business. He lantic City and when arrested had \$812.75. Said the range would there would tickets excursion rates, and there would said the railroads would make all their be no such thing as a ticket that could be lawfully sold. He introduced data to show former decisions of courts, and wound up with a plea for time, which the World's Fair representatives were pro-World's Fair representatives were pro-testing against, as they were anxious to show the convenion of passenger agents, which convenes in St. Louis on January 3, that something had been done by St. Louis to warrant the granting of haif-fare excursion rates to the World's Fair, Members of the Council were at the hearing and heard the arguments of both sides. After the meeting, the commattee went into executive session and decided upon the action approved by the Council. BILL IS PASSED.

BILL IS PASSED. When the bill was called, Chairman W. A. Gardner moved that the House rules be suspended and the bill be sent to enbe suspended and the bill be sent to engrossment in order to expedite passage. Councilman Gloson opposed this manner of procedure, stating that the measure ought not to be railroaded. He gave for his reason that he could not conscientiously vote for such a proceeding as he did not have a comprehensive idea or what he was voting for.

The bill went to engressment by a vote of 7 to 2. President Hormsoy voting with Councilman Gibson. Several minuses later the bill was given its last reading and

unanimously passed.

A House bal cauling for an appropria-tion of 4,500 to install new engines and boilers at Emergency Hospital No. 2 was

passed.

The bond of Eckard Wind, a contractor, who is to complete the New City Hall, was approved, in the sum of \$10,000.

A bill for the erection of a briage over railroad tracks on King's highway between McRea and Shaw avenues was passed and sent to the House of Delegates.

gates.

A bill providing that the Lemp Brewing Company to allowed to close Thirteenth street from Cherokee street to Broadway was passed. In consideration of this privilege the company agreed to allow the city to widen Lemp avenue from Utah to Wyoming street, which is now only 30 feet wide.

bold conferences with Senators and Coaseressmen at Washington and feel assured that Congress will grant the loan of 34-that Congress will grant the loan of 44-that Congress will grant the loan of 44-that Congress will grant the loan of 44-that Co

railroad tracks across Ninta and Pesta-lozzi streets was passed. President Hornsby voted against the measure, be-cause, as he said, Pestalozzi street is very steep at that point, and colassions between Transit cars and rathroad trains might be frequent in cold weather.

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Councilman Davis explained that the Transit and brewing companies had agreed to put in an interiocking switch.

President Hornsby remarked that there should have been some reference to such a switch in the bill, as corporations are want to forget such promises. a switch in the bill, as corporations are wont to forget such promises.

Councilman James P. Newell introduced a bill asking that the license of circuses and outdoor traveling shows be raised from \$50 to \$500. The bill asks for an additional \$500 for each street parade. Animals on the World's Fair grounds during the Exposition period are expupt.

TWO PATROLMEN DISMISSED.

Charges of Intoxication Made Against Casey and Noonan.

Two patroimen were dismissed from the

force by the Board of Police Commission. ers vesterday, theoffense in each case Probationary Patrolman Joseph Casey of the Ninth District, who created a disturbance in the neighborhood of Spring

and Easton avenues last Sunday, was the

first to suffer discharge. Probationary Patrolman Patrick Noonan of the Tenth District was found guilty on energies preferred by three cluzens whom he had attacked, it is alleged, two weeks Both Casey and Noonan were ap-ed to the force last August, when the reorganization was effected in the de-

HOTEL COMPANY FORMED.

Work on Christian Endeavor Structure to Begin Shortly.

Articles of incorporation were filed yeserday afternoon in the office of the Recorder of Deeds by the Christian Endeav-or Hotel and Auditorium Company. The

or Hotel and Auditorium Company. The following appear as stockholders:
Murray Carleton, John L. Brandt, F. E. Niesen, Herman Diel, Robert E. Collins, A. A. B. Woerheide, James E. Fogg and R. F. Spencer, one state each of both common and preferred stock; O. E. Plochman, 12.30 Shares; A. L. De Voigne, 1.125 shares; F. W. Haftengret, F. A. Trecce, William A. Kinnerk, one share each; and Joseph

Lowenberg, 1,374 shares.

It was stated last night that work on the hotel bullding, which will be located south of the World's Fair grounds, would begin within a few days, the plans have a most been completed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bronco Quintine Tablets, All druggists fetund money if it falls to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

RAIN OR SNOW PREDICTED.

Minimum Temperature To-Day Will Be About 28 Degrees. Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain or snow is the weather forecast for St. Louis for to-day. The same prediction is made for Southern Missouri and Southern

Illinois. The minimum temperature to night will be about 28 degrees. A telegram from the Government Obervatory at Chicago last night stated that a cold wave was predicted for Kansas and Nebraska. The wind will shift to a hish northeriy, and there will be snow. Zero temperators is predicted for Nebraska, while it is thought that the thermometer will register 15 degrees above in Kansas before to-night.

Newsboys to Box.

Several boxing bouts and wrestling matches have been arranged for the anmual Christmas entertainment of the St. Louis Newsboys, which will take place on December 30. Kid Silverburg, the local newsboy, paper weight, will meet a rep-recenturities of the Chicago paper sellers.

INDIANA'S SONS

Lieutenant Governor Gilbert Attends Fifth Annual Gathering, but No Novelists

Are Present.

The fifth annual banquet of the Indiana Society at the Planters Hotel last night

is of the Hoosler State. Lieutenant Governor Newton W. Gilbert came from Terre Haute, but not a single historical novelist was present, It was explained that the historical novel orecs are flooded with orders at pres-

werkman of prominence to be absent from his desk.

Pteceding the banquet the following officurs were elected for the year: J. M. Ailen, persident; C. A. Thempson, first vice president; C. A. Thempson, first vice president; T. F. Meyers, third vice president; G. H. Salee, treasurer; Myron M. Medsker, secretary. The last two officers have held officer since the society was organized.

The retiring president, Jesse A. McDonald, was absent, as was the incoming president, and Joseph Flory presided.

The Liantemant Governor of Indiana, Newton W. Gilbert, responded to the toast. "The Hoosier Lawyer." General Leo Rastleur, former Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., responded to the toast. "The Hoosier Soldier"; Doctor C. C. Morris to the tenst, "The Hoosier Doctor," and Don C. Summers to the toast, "The Hoosier Schoolmaster."

Among the other speakers was Joseph Flory, who told of the wors of the Hoosier politician in a foreign State.

The programme bore the seal of the State of Indiana and quotations from Indiana authors. New members enrolled put the society in a more flourishing condition than ever.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Adlen, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Allen, T. R. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cochran, L. D. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cochran, L. D. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flory, Noah M. Givan, Newton W. Gilbert, Joseph L. Griswold, Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ingalls, George W. Julow, Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Leonard, Jesse A. McDonald, Misse Imogene Medsker, Myron M. Medsker, Doetor and Mrs. C. C. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nay, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rassleur, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Reeves, Miss Laura Reeves, Miss May Ruesing, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Sallee, Miss Anna Sallee, Don C. Summers, Howard Sidener, C. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Worley, Ernest E. Wood.

"PRESIDENT BREAKS LAW, AND VOUCHSAFES CONGRESS NOT SLIGHTEST EXCUSE."

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plain to let no armed men or cause of any kind disturb the open, free course of commerce or of movement in the pathway across the isthmus. (Applause on Repub lican side).

"Colombia has invoked our interference before, but it so happened that always heretofore it inured to her benefit. In this case, that which we have done, we did for a motive of the highest obligation of national faith.

"It was done redulously and carefully, but it did result in making it very difficult for troops to come from Bogota. Our Government will not permit anybody the line of that rallway crossing the isthmus, which would disturb free transit, and it is because the two things coincided that some men will say that we did what we did to injure Bogota, when, in fact, we dld it to keep good faith, although it has

Mr. Hitt said the people of Colombia thought the United States were so bent on having a canal on the isthmus that the game was easy, They had ten millions, but twenty would be better. Referring to the size of Panama, Mr. Hitt said; MORAL LAWS NOT MEASURED

RY REQUIREMENTS OF CANAL "It is not a matter of space. The rule of square mile is a mistake. Moral laws are not measured from the surveyor's

point." Mr. Williams quickly replied: "Nor measured by ditches or the requirements of a canal, either." Mr. Hitt: "The one purpose that has

been effected, the one that had been voted for in this body, and which has governed the action of our Government, is the one that every good American heartly sympathizes with. "That is the reason we do not apologize

for the conduct of our Government in following the precedents of its past history and we are proud that we have a President that did not wait ten years." (Loud applause on the Republican side.) Mr. Williams, interrupting, said he want-

ed to take the burden of saying "yes" to the question as to whether the Government had been virtually guilty of moral obliquity in its international relations in its action concerning the Republic of Pan-

Mr. Hitt said of the Government at Bo

"That distant center, coldly plotting to get hold of the great wealth they hoped to get from the United States, deliberately threw away the treaty and ten millions in the hope of getting still more, utterly regardless of the great peril to which they put the people of the Province of Pan-

"Following the spirit of the treaty, the President would not submit to the blackmailing of the people of the United States.

Mr. Williams, the minority leader, following, said that the minority side could made to make the mistake which the majority desired it to make. The Democrats wanted the Nicaraguan Canal. but he thought possibly the Nicaraguan route was regarded as too great a competitor of the transcontinental railways. DEMOCRATS NOT PROUD

OF GOVERNMENT'S COURSE." He said the Democrats are not proud of the part this Government has taken, but they must recognize a fact as a fact. Mr. Williams said:

"Virtually it had been confessed that if Colombia dares to land a soldier in the newborn Republic of Panama-newborn with the birth foreseen and aided, as I believe, from Paris and from Washing con-the United States will treat it as an ict of war.

"There is one fact that cannot be gotter tround, and that is the manner of the birth of the new Republic.

"If the Democratic party and a few Re publicans had not hedged up and bound this Government in the two clauses which compelled us to give Cuba her freedom and independence you would have treated Cuba as you treated the Philippines. As to the new Republic of Panama, I am satisfied that the most deliberate, long reviewed, well-thought-out project ever completed or ever thought of since the world began is the birth of Panama and our connection with it."

MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES-NEW PATTERNS. Handsome Brush and Shaving Sets. Koken's Barber Supply Co., 915 Market st.

Fire Caught From Chimney.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Jonesboro, Ark., Dec. 11.-The handsome two-story residence of Z. T. Matthews on the corner of Union street and Matthews agenue was burned to-day, Mr. Matthews is one of the largest merchants in the city and a member of the State Capital Commission. The building was valued at \$4,00) and insured for \$2,50. Furniture valued at \$1,500 with \$1,000 insurance. The fire is supposed to have caught from the chinney. two-story residence of Z. T. Matthews on

\$18,25,New Orleans and Return,\$18,25 Via Illinois Central Railroad, December 16 and 17, returning December 22,

CHILD'SPUNISHMENT DYING MOTHER'S **ENJOY BANQUET. CAUSES SEPARATION**

Reaching for Food and Mother Objected-Divorces Granted.

Emma G. Easton, who obtained a di-Vorce yesterday in Judge Hough's division was attended by more than one hundred of the Circuit Court, said her husband, Albert, left her in August, 1902, following trouble caused by his whipping their 2-

year-old child. The little one, at supper, reached across the table for some food, and Easton subected the child to severe chastisement, Mrs. Easton said She objected and a quarrel followed. It ended by his leaving the house and not living with ner again, she alleged.

She said her busband carns \$20 to \$25 a week. Judge Hough ordered that he pay her \$30 a month. The couple were married at Warthena, Kas., February 2, 1897. The custody of the child was awarded to her. Surah E. Null told Judge Hough that her husband, Charles, repaised her when she would try to caress and kiss him he would push her away, saying he did not like sur I foolishness, she alleged. She obtained a divorce.

Minnie Williams cried after leaving the witness stand. She said her husband. John, drank and falled to support her. On one occasion he slapped ber face and it became swolen, and she returned to her mother. She was mirried December 20. 1820, and separated from her husband in June, 1922. A divorce was granted to her and her maiden name, Jones, was restored.

Judge Hough granted a divorce to Netat Warthena, Kas., February 2, 1897. The

and her maiden name, Jones, was festored.

Judge Hough granted a divorce to Nettle Atchison from Samuel G. Atchison and awarded to her the custody of their child and \$50 a month alimony; to Lucy Arnold from Asa H. Arnold, and custody of chiad; to Ira M. Wassen from Carnel A. Wassen; to Mary L. Christianson from C. Christianson; to Della Wies from Joseph Wies, and to Louisa Abbey from John Abbey.

Judge Kinenly granted a divorce to James Stephenson from Fannle Stephenson; to Amanda Sipes from William S. Sipes; to Amanda Sipes from William S. Sipes; to Amanda Senditz from Louis J. Schultz; to Cora B. Meffert from Clarence H. Meffert, and to Nellie McAdams from Felix McAdams.

Judge Wood cridered Hyacinth Liverani to pay to his wife, Ida, \$15 a week pending the trial of her suit for divorce, and \$150 a month for her attorneys fees.

CALLS MEETING IN ST. LOUIS.

Committee of Allied People's Party to Convene February 22.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 11.-Chairman Jo A. Parker and other members of the Natinal Committee of the Allied People's party held a meeting last night and is sued a call for a meeting of the Central Committee of the party at the New St. James Hotel in St. Louis on February 22. 1901, at 19 o'clock, to name a date and place for a national convention of the Al-lied People's party at which to nominate a candidate for President and for Vice President

SANTA FE AGENTS VISIT FAIR.

Road Will Send Many of Its Officials to St. Louis. In order that its representatives m be conversant with the wonders of the Fair the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe has instructed its agents at points in California and Colorado to make a trip to St. Louis and post themselves that they may be able to answer intelligently all questions in regard to hotel faacilities and

questions in regard to hotel faacilities and the facilities for reaching the grounds. About lifteen officials of the Santa Fe visited the grounds yesterday, among whom were: J. W. Walker, San Francisco; E. W. McLiee, T. W. Pate, T. W. Moses, Los Angeles; E. B. Stuart, San Diego; F. A. Jones. Fresno; H. R. Sterne, San Jose; J. P. Hall, Denver.

It is the intention of the Santa Fe that all of the agents shall, visit the Fair. The delegation yesterday expressed themselves as impressed with the magnitude and beauty of the enterprise, and also stated that great interest was being manifested in it throughout their respective territorics.

ACTION AGAINST SCALPERS.

Railroads Want Protection on Tick The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company began a suit in the United States Circuit Court yesterday to enjoin St. Louis ticket brokers from scalping World's Fair tickets as well as excursion

ickets that will be sold prior to the opentickets that will be sold prior to the open-ing of the Exposition.

It is alleged that the demand for these tickets will be \$0 great that the rallroad companies cannot adhere to the usual rules relative to the identification of ticket purchasers, and unless the court en-joins the brokers, the railroad companies will be powerless to prevent frauds in the menipulating of round-trip and stop-over

The court is asked to enjoin the brokers from soliciting, purchasing or seiling World's Fair excursion tickets.

OFFICIALS GO TO NEW YORK. To Take Formal Action in Regard to

Terminal Finances W. S. McChesney, Jr., president of the Terminal Association, and Julius Walsh, chairman of the Terminal Board, departed vesterday for New York, where final acyesterday for New York, where final ac-tion will be taken in regard to securing the 34,500,000 for the completion of the terminal improvement plans. Further action to be taken is said to be purely formal, as the needed finances Lave been secured, chiefly through the St. Louis trust companies, which have been sending large sums to New York recently for this and other investment purposes.

W. L. Smith Promoted. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 11.-W. I. Smith. for seven years assistant general freight for seven years assistant general freight agent of the Illinois Central and Yazoo and Mississippi Valley, with headquarters in this city, is appointed chief clerk to Vice President J. T. Harahan, succeeding Donald Rose, recently appointed European agent of the Illinois Central at London, John Dwyer of Memphis, commercial agent under Mr. Smith, may succeed him.

"Christmas Tree Meet." At the annual "Christmas Tree Meet" of he St. Louis Railway Club last night at the Missouri Athletic Club, S. D. Webster general claim agent of the Terminal Rail-road Association, read a paper on the St. Louis Terminal's retrospective and sug-gestive, which was well received and thor-oughly discussed. At the close of the dis-cussion a vaudeville entertainment and a luncheon were enjoyed by the many pres-

Railway Notes and Changes. -S. T. Fulton, assistant to Vice President Winchell of the Rock Island system, was in the

city yesterday. ity yesterday.

—At a meeting of the local passenger agents esterday plans for the passenger facilities at the Fair were discussed.

—S. Gardner Yerkes has been appointed Vestern general passenger agent of the Great orthern, with headquarters at Seattle.

—The Panama Railroad Company has delared a 4 per cent dividend, bayable January. The last dividend was 2 per cent, paid last clother. October.

The division freight agents of the territory east of the Mississippi River have agreed on a basis for steel rates that will place Burfalo upon an equality with those of all other steel-producing centers.

Subscriptions will be opened in Paris, France, for the construction of a railroad between Chenge-Ting-Fu and Tai-Yuan-Fu, China, to cost \$20,000,000.

Advertise your property for sale or rent in The Sunday Republic. Take your ad to any drug store.

Bill for a Parcels Post. Washington, Dec. 11.-Mr. Hearst of Nov York introduced a bill in the House to-day to establish a parcels post. It pro-vides for the classification of mall matter, defining the kind that shall be carried in the different classes.

Proposes Probate Court,

Washington, Dec. 11.—Senator Teller in-troduced a bill to-day to establish Pro-bate Courts in Indian Territory. 18.25.New Orleans and Return,\$18.25

WISH GRATIFIED.

Father Whipped Little One for Myra Campbell Hastens Marriage to Alexander Groom When Sick Parents Make Request.

> To gratify the wish of her dying mother, Miss Myra Campbell of Belleville was married yesterday to Alexander Groom. Mrs. Campbell is pressed a desire to see her daughter mar-

> ried before her death. Miss Campbell was a teacher in the Baptist Mission Sunday School at Belleville, where she met Groom, who was also a teacher. After an acquaintance of several months the couple became engaged and were to have been married on Christ-

and were to have been married on Christmas Eye.

Two weeks ago Mrs. Campbell was stricken with paralysis at her home. No. 2165 West Main street. Yesterday, when her physician informed her that she could not recover she requested that her daughter be married at once.

A license was secured and the couple were united at the home of Elijah Richards, sin incle of Miss Campbell. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend E. J. Brownson, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

YATES VISITS HAST ST LOUIS.

Discusses Outlook in Next Campaign Governor Richard Yates of Illinois spent esterday in East St. Louis, where I held a public recention at the Royal Hotel

garding his chances for the renomination Governor Yates came to East St. Louis in his private car "Hlaya" and was ac-companied by a delegation of prominent Republicans from various points in the

They were met at the Relay Station by Judge Joseph B. Messick, Thomas L. Fekete, John D. Edminston and other East Side Republicans, who escorted the Governor to the hotel. The reception was held in the pariors and no speeches were made.

made.

At dinner, Mayor Silas Cook of East St Louis, was given the place of honor at the table with Governor Yates. In the afternoon, delegations of Republicans from Belleville, among whom where M. L. Munie and Sheriff Thompson and delegations from other towns in St. Clair County paid their respects to the State's chief executive.

Governor Yates expressed himself as greatly pleased with his reception in East St. Louis, when he departed last evening for Jerseyville, where he spoke last night.

WOMAN DIED FROM GUN SHOT WOUND.

Father of Amelia Zikre, Startled by Report, Finds Weapon by Her Side.

Miss Amelia Zikre, 26 years old, of No. 24 Weber avenue, Belleville, was found n her room at 10 o'clock last night, suffering from a shotgun wound. She was taken to St. Elizabeth's Hospital and died

at 11:45 o'clock. Anton Zikre, her father, who is a dairyman, was sitting in a room downstairs. when the report of a gun startled him. With the other members of the family he ran to the room, and found his daughter lying on the floor with a gunshot wound n her abdomen.

Zikre's shotgun, which had been hanging on the wall in a downstairs room, was found by her side. Miss Zikre was in her night dress and was about to retire.

Zikre states that his daughter had been despondent for several months and was sick for the last week. The reason for her despondency he is unable to assign.

WISH TO SEE MR. AKINS.

Republican City Central Co. Decides to Make a 'Touch."
Six months before the next campaign will begin the Republican City Central Committee is having an outbreak of its old trouble. It wants money. Gold, silver

or greenbacks will do. Anything to supply wherewithal. At the last meeting of the committee, which was held Thursday night, the Finance Committee was instructed to get money. Pérmanent headquarters have been secured in the Holland building and the landlord says that the rent must be paid.

The situation created much discussion Business men won't put up. Prospective candidates are laying low and cannot be identified. The committeemen themselves do not propose to make any sacrifices for the good of the party. The old office-holders have had their share of public emoluments—and generally spent them.

All of these things were pointed out at the meeting. Then arose an astute former member of the House of Delegates that passed the Central Traction bill. He had an idea.

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that passed the Central Traction bill. He had an idea.

"Akins always said that the boys that got Federal jobs should put up," he explained. "Akins has scooped us all by taking the subtreasuryship. Let's meet him when he comes back and make him pay the rent. He ought to be a good thing. He's from the country and has a job that ought to go to the city."

No motion was put, but the chorus of "That's right," which floated up, sealed State Chairman Akins's doom. He will have a solicitous reception when he returns. So far, Mr. Akins has not served notice of the time when he will come back from Washington. He may try to clip through to his home in Humansville—but probably won't succeed, not if the Finance Committee knows itself.

After thus de_iding upon the sort of reception that sho_id he given to the State Chairman, the committee adjourned.

WALLACE LOVE FOR CHARRMAN.

WALLACE LOVE FOR CHAIRMAN. Kansas City Republican Is Willing to Be "Harmony" Candidate. Wallace Love of Kansas City is the latest name mentioned by Republican pollticians as a possible candidate for State chairman. Letters received in St. Louis from Kansas City state that there is a good chance that he will enter the race actively and see how strong the so-called "harmony" sentiment in the party real-

"harmony" sentiment in the party really is.

Love was formerly chairman of the Kansas City local Central Committee and did effective work—so effective that the split in the party put him out of business. He was a candidate for State chairman in 1838 against Mr. Akins, but failed of election by one vote.

At present he is a contractor, and is said to have enough leisure time to make it worth his while to see what there is in State politics. Collector of the Internal Revenue Frank D. Roberts of Kansas City and Springfield, is also supposed to be a Revenue Frank D. Roberts of and Springfield, is also supposed to candidate, though he has not ann

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Those who argue that Mr. Akins should not retain his position, since he has been appointed to a Federal position, also assert that Roberts is not eligible for chairmanship honors.

Will Speak in Macon. Circuit Attorney Folk departed last night for Macon, where he will speak toiay. A strong Folk-for-Governor club has cay. A strong Folk-for-Governor club has been organized at that place, and it is expected that there will be a large meeting.

Mr. Folk received a large number of letters yesterday relative to the Butler decision. Next Wednesday he will be in Fulton to ask for a special setting of the case against Butler on the lighting deal.

Railroad Commissioner W. E. McCully, who lives in Macon, went home on the same train with Mr. Folk last night.

The FAMOUS A. B. C. BOHEMIAN and MUENCHENER BEERS on draught at Hugh T. Pattison's Bar, northeast cor-ner Ninth and Locust.

Steals Ring From a Store. Under pretense of wishing to buy a ring an unidentified man, who visited Frank H. Niehaus's store, No. 312 North Sixth street, yesterday evening stole one and departed. The ring, which was set with five diamonds and five sapphires, was not missed until the man had disappeared. Mr. Nichaus values the ring at 100.



Announcement.

In order to accommodate those of our patrons who find it inconvenient to make their Christmas Gift selections during the day

> This Establishment Will Be Open Until 10 O'Clock Every Evening Until Christmas.

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CAR'S VICTIM IS IDENTIFIED. FOLK TO VISIT CHILLICOTHE. Woman Killed on Franklin Ave

nue Was Bridget Balman. Mrs. Kate Bell of No. 3537 North Twen y-second street and Maggie Brockland of No. 2518 Prairie avenue yesterday evening called at the City Hospital and identified as Bridget Balman the woman who was struck and injured by an Easton avenue, car at Nineteenth and Franklin avenue last Monday. Miss Balman died Thursday night and the police were unable to learn her identity until last evening.

Miss Balman had been employed as a servant in the home of Mrs. Bell. It is not known whether she had any relatives in St. Louis.

Household goods advertised for sale in The Sunday Republic find ready purchas-ers. Any druggist will take your ad at office rates. INJURED AT RIDDICK SCHOOL

Harry Werner's Skull Fractured in Fall From Baluster. In a fall from the baluster of the Riddick school yesterday afternoon, Harry Werner. 10 years old, suffered a fracture of the skull and a broken arm. His injuries

are pronounced serious.

empting to slide downstairs by sitting on the baluster. When half way down he lost his balance and fell to the brick pave-ment, alighting on his shoulders and head. nead.

Companions carried Werner into the school, and summoned Doctor Grant. After receiving temporary treatment. Werner was removed to his home, No. 404 Page

With several other lads, Werner was at-

Club Being Organized to Receive Circuit Attorney. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Chillicothe, Mo., Dec. 11.—Circuit Attorney Joseph W. Folk has written the Constitution that he will come to this city to speak some time in January.

speak some time in January.

Preparations are being made for his reception by the organization of a Folk Club. Lists are being circulated in different parts of the county and are being signed by dozens.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 1L-Division No. 2 of the Supreme Court met to-day and passed upon the following motions:
Ex parte Gfeller; motion for rehearing over Trowner vs. Hamilton; motion for rehearing granted and cause transferred to court in inc. Evans vs. Wahash Railroad Company; motion Baker vs. McDaniels; motion for rehearing overruled.
State vs. Adams; motion to prosecute appeal
as per person denied.
State ex rel. See vs. Allen; transferred to ex rel. See vs. Allen; transferred to State Court in banc.
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Division No. 2 adjourned to December 23.
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Missouri Supreme Court.

yesterday. Demand Automatic Couplers. Topeka, Kas., Dec. 11.-Complaint was filed to-day in the Federal Court by United States Attorney J. S. Dean against the Rock Island road for failure to carry au-tomatic coupling attachments in Kansas on engines and freight cars.



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